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Title: BIOACTIVE MATERIALS FOR ANEURYSM REPAIR	

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

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Total Claims	21	- 36	0	x \$50.00	\$0
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Total Amendment Fee					\$0
Petition for Extension of Time Fee					\$0
Small Entity Reduction (if applicable)					\$0
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$0

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 10, 2006, for which a response is initially due on or before November 10, 2006. Accordingly, this paper is timely filed.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.